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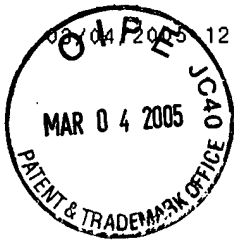
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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Responsive to the Notice of Allowance dated December 16, 2004 and the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance on the above-identified patent application, applicant agrees with the Examiner's conclusions regarding patentability of the allowed claims, without necessarily agreeing with or acquiescing in the Examiner's reasoning. In particular, applicant believes that the application is allowable because the prior art fails to teach, anticipate or render obvious the invention as claimed, independent of how the invention is paraphrased.

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AFTER ALLOWANCE COMMUNICATION

Applicants filed the above-identified application on January 14, 2002, along with a Nonpublication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Subsequently, on March 3, 2003, Applicants filed a Request to Rescind Previous Nonpublication Request. A return postcard was received, showing that the Request to Rescind was received by the Office of Initial Patent Examination on March 10, 2003. However, Applicants note that this application was never published.

This application was allowed on December 16, 2004. This Communication is being submitted along with the issue fee and publication fee. Applicants hereby request that this application be published in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

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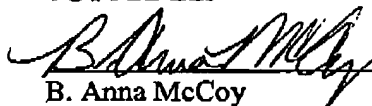
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